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for: METHOD FOR PRODUCING ALDEHYDES BY MEANS OF HYDROFORMYLATION OF OLEFINICALLY UNSATURATED COMPOUNDS, SAID HYDROFORMYLATION BEING CATALYZED BY UNMODIFIED METAL COMPLEXES IN THE PRESENCE OF CYCLIC CARBONIC ACID ESTERS

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313-1450

SIR:

Responsive to the Office Action dated August 11, 2006, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendment, Declaration under 37 CFR 1.132 of named coinventor Dr. Alfred Kaizik (Kaizik Declaration) **submitted herewith**, and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Discussion of the Amendment begins on page 7 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.